

DEBATING GROWS POPULAR

Not only at the University of Oregon has there been an immense interest manifested in debating circles this year. At the University of Washington twenty-six have handed in their names for the tryout which will be held during the first week in February. Of the twenty-six, two are girls.

At the University of Idaho, twenty-five have signified their intention of entering the forensic arena. Many of these are experienced men and from the present outlook, Idaho will send a strong trio to Eugene to debate Oregon on March 27. Idaho's tryout will be held on February 8.

Instructors Change Quarters

Since the Christmas holidays a good many changes have been made in the class rooms of various instructors. Professors Young, Glen, Sheldon, Clarke, Gilbert and Reed have moved from their old rooms into the new library building. The room occupied by Prof. Young and Dr. Gilbert has been thrown in with the Registrar's office and is now used by Steward Johnson. This has been a much needed improvement for some time, as the office room has been very inadequate. Prof. Hawthorne has moved into Dr. Sheldon's old room and the one vacated by him will be fitted up as a laboratory. Prof. McAlister, of the engineering department, will have his headquarters in Prof. Clarke's old room in McClure hall, and in the room formerly occupied by him in the Mechanical building, new electrical machinery will be installed. This re-arrangement besides giving better accommodations to the classes, groups the different departments in separate buildings.

Glee Club Elects Officers.

The Glee and Mandolin Clubs met last Friday in Villard Hall and elected officers for the next year. Donald Lewis, '09, of Monmouth, was selected as the president of the combined clubs; Dean T. Goodman, '10, of Portland, vice-president; Roy Wood, '09, of Nome, Alaska, secretary; Harold Clifford, '09, of Baker City, was re-elected manager. Prof. Glen will direct the clubs as usual and will appoint leaders of the two clubs later on. The clubs will probably tour southern Oregon next year besides giving their usual concerts in the valley towns and in Portland.

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says: "Let us all unite and make the Glee Club a howling success." Rather a hard slam on the club.

Professor Sweetser and Mr. Bovard, instructors in biology, went to Corvallis Thursday to deliver lectures before the student body of the Agricultural College.

The Washington baseball men have decided to overlook their difficulties and have elected Harry Isbell captain of the nine for the coming season.

Mrs. P. F. Morey, of Portland, who came to Eugene to act as patroness at the dance Saturday evening, is the guest of Mrs. Van Scoy.

FRESHMAN GLEE A SUCCESS

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Brown, Cecil Espey, Ralph Cronise, and Howard Drew.

The out-of-town people who were guests at the different houses were as follows: at the Zeta Iota Phi House, Miss Gertrude Elfers, Portland; Miss Bertha Eckerline, Salem; Miss Elsea Hawley, Salem; Miss Nell Miller, Albany; Miss Myrtle Shelton, Portland; Miss Mae Kestley, Springfield. At the Tau Pi house: Florence Lilliburn, of Portland; Ethel Clarke, Portland; Ruth Honeyman, Portland; Althea Moores, Salem; Lessie Leadbetter, Portland; Nell Swart, Portland, and Katherine Emmons, Portland. At the Beta Epsilon house: Claire Jones, Salem; Jessie Bibee, Portland; Merle McKelvey, Portland; Reta Bernard, Portland; Ione Lambert, Portland; Margret Boot, Portland; Maud Stedman, Portland; Eva Jones, Portland; Winifred Abbot, Portland; Thora Malm, Portland; Dorothy Holbrook, Portland; Grace Langdon, Albany; Blanche McNair, Tillamook, and Sadie Sullivan, Oregon City. At the Kloshe Tillacum house: Cora Campbell, of Roseburg; Ruth Gibson, Roseburg; Josephine and Hattie Morehead, Junction City; Della Smith, Drain; and Alta Drain, Drain.

At the Sigma Nu house were Clifton McArthur, Portland; Robert Holt, Portland; "Budge" Stewart, Albany; and Clifford Brown, Salem.

At the Delta Alpha house were: Lloyd Farmer, Salem; Edwin Fortmiller, Albany; Blayne Hallock, Portland; and Odin Howard, Washington, D. C.

At the Kappa Sigma house were: Vergil Earl, Jefferson City; Jack Caufield, Oregon City; Howard Latourette, Portland; and Berry Eastam, Salem.

SOCIAL NOTES OF THE WEEK

Receptions are Given to out of town Guests.—Other Interesting Items

Friday evening the Beta Epsilon Sorority gave an At Home in honor of their guests who were in Eugene to attend the freshman party. The house was artistically decorated in greens, the dining room being in pink and green and the reception rooms were beautiful in yellow and green. Mrs. H. D. Jones, assisted by Miss Jessie Chase and Adele Goff received. During the evening Miss Edna Zimmerman, at the piano, and Miss Mary DeBar, on the violin, played several instrumental numbers. Delicious frozen refreshments were served by Miss Sue Hayes and Miss Rae Vogel.

Wednesday evening Professor and Mrs. Straub entertained several of their friends at their home on East Eleventh street. The evening was most pleasantly spent in conversation. Later in the evening a delicious repast was served by the hostess, assisted by Miss Edna Caufield and Miss Ruth Duniway. Professor and Mrs. Straub's guests were: Dr. and Mrs. Sheldon, Professor and Mrs. Young, Professor DeBar, Mrs. Watson, Professor Carson, Miss Sheffield, Dr. Gilbert, and Mr. Bovard.

The Tau Pi Sorority gave an informal reception Saturday afternoon from three until five o'clock to all the organizations of the University and their guests. Oregon grape and massive bunches of ferns were used in decoration. In the reception hall Mrs. Helen Duff, Miss Edna Caufield and Miss Clara Caufield received.

The Kloshe Tillacum Club informally received their friends Friday evening, January the seventeenth. A great many friends of the club called during the evening. The reception was given for the visitors of the club. In the dining room Miss Isolene Shaver and Miss Ada Coffey dipped punch.

The faculty of the School of Music, consisting of Professor I. M. Glen, Mrs. Katherine Warde Pope, Mrs. Schuecker, Miss Alberta Campbell and Roy Gesner, appeared in a concert at Drain Friday evening.

The Sigma Nu Fraternity opened their beautiful home to their friends Saturday afternoon. A great many students and their guests enjoyed the fraternity's hospitality.